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BULBS

Peonies

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*Strawberry Plants*

*Ornamental Shrubbery*

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*Small Fruits*

*and*

*Perennial Plants*



THE FARMER  
NURSERY

E. A. FARMER, Prop.

Linden Hills Sta., Route 2

Located at France Ave. So. and 62nd St.

Telephone: Walnut 2755

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

# 1923

Altho 1922 was another very dry fall, in our locality, our crop of plants and Bulbs are remarkably good; and the outlook for improved business conditions indicate that the coming year will be one of prosperity.

## LOCATION.

We are located just outside the city limits at France Ave. So. and 62nd St.

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## READ THIS BEFORE ORDERING

**Prices given** are for stock carefully packed and delivered F. O. B. Minneapolis.

**Remit** by money order, registered letter, draft or express at our risk. Otherwise at the sender's risk.

**Terms**, cash with the order, which will be filled and shipped as soon as suitable to plant.

**Guarantee.** We exercise the greatest care to have our stock true to name and carefully labeled. Should any mistakes occur, we are willing to correct them, but will not be responsible for any more than the original cost or replace the goods.

**All orders** accepted on condition that they shall be void, should injury befall our stock from fire or other causes over which we have no control.

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Inspection completed June 16, 1922.

## MINNESOTA STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### OFFICE OF STATE ENTOMOLOGIST

No. 1484      St. Paul, Minn., September 2, 1922

### CERTIFICATE OF NURSERY INSPECTION

This is to certify that in accordance with Sec. 1, Chapter 206, Session Laws of 1913, the nursery stock and premises of **The Farmer Nursery** of Minneapolis, Minn.; E. A. Farmer, Proprietor, have been carefully examined by a duly authorized inspector and found apparently free from dangerously injurious insects and contagious plant diseases.

This certificate is good until November 1, 1923, unless revoked, and covers only stock actually on the premises when examined.

N. J. HOLMBERG,  
Commissioner.  
(Seal.)

A. G. RUGGLES,  
State Entomologist.

## STRAWBERRIES

### Progressive (Everbearing)

Seems to be the leading strawberry for home use. They can be grown any where other varieties succeed, any good garden soil or field that will grow corn or other crops, will grow strawberries.

Everbearing plants should be set early in the spring. Hoed, cultivated and fertilized same as other strawberry plants.

Progressive plants set in the spring not only produce an immense crop of extra nice berries the year they are planted but the runner plants bear fruit soon as set. Progressive yields a crop of fruit the first year that is truly wonderful.

Blossoms should be kept picked off till the middle of July for best results.

They are early and a heavy bearer and continue bearing until frost or till the ground freezes.

The berries are of medium size, highly colored red to the core; quality of fruit ranks with the best. Our plants are fine.

**Prepaid, 25 for 60c; \$2.00 per 100; for less than 500.**

Not prepaid, \$15.00 per 1,000; 500 at thousand rates.

### Senator Dunlap

Senator Dunlap is probably the most widely known spring-bearing variety grown thru out the country. Does well in any type of soil, and in most any locality. They have long fibrous roots which make them good drouth resisters. Berries good size bright rich red clear thru and of fine quality.

**Prepaid, 25 for 35c; 50 for 60c; 100 for \$1.00**

Not prepaid 1,000 for \$6.00; 500 at 1,000 rates.

## RASPBERRIES

**St. Regis.** (Everbearing red.) The "early til late" raspberry.

**50c dozen; \$2.50 per 100; \$20 per 1,000**

**King.** Many of our leading fruit growers consider this one of the best of the early red raspberries. Berries large and attractive, bright red in color and of good flavor. Ripens with the earliest and is firm enough to ship well. The canes are healthy and productive. Very hardy.

**50c dozen; \$2.50 per 100.**

**Cumberland.** (Black.) The largest of all black caps. A healthful, vigorous grower, throwing up strong stocky, well branched canes which produce large crops of fine berries. Fruit firm and large.

**50c dozen; \$2.50 per 100.**

**Plum Farmer,** Ripens its fruit very early and always bring the top price. Heavy producer, one of the leading blacks.

**50c dozen; \$2.50 per 100.**

If wanted prepaid, add 50c per 100 for Raspberry, Blackberry, Gooseberry, Grapes, Currants and Asparagus Roots.

All blackberries and black Raspberries should be laid down and covered with dirt (early) just before the ground freezes up when the winter is setting in.

## APPLES AND CRABS

**Duchess** 5 to 6 feet \$1.00 each; \$10.00 dozen.  
**Wealthy** 5 to 6 feet \$1.00 each; \$10.00 dozen.  
**Florence Crab.** 5 to 6 feet \$1.00; \$10.00 dozen.  
**Whitney Crab** 5 to 6 feet \$1.00 each; \$10.00 dozen.

## PLUMS

**Pesoto** 5 to 6 feet,  
**Surprise** 5 to 6 feet  
**Forset Garden** 5 to 6 feet, \$1.00; \$10.00 dozen.

## CHERRIES

**Montmorency** 5 to 6 feet \$1.25 each

## GRAPES

**Concord.** A large purplish black grape, ripening about the middle of September.

No. 1—2 years old, 15c each

**Delaware.**

No. 1—2 years old, 25c each.

**Niagara (White Grapes.)**

20c each; \$2.00 dozen.

## GOOSEBERRIES

**The Carrie** is a strong, robust growing bush, with extreme hardness of root and top.

No. 1—2 years old, 20c each

**Downing.** The standard of the Northwest. It is the largest of all the native American varieties.

No. 1—2 years old 25c each.

## CURRANTS

**Red Cross.** One of the best currants on the market, ripens in mid-season and produces an enormous quantity of fruit; flavor mild and pleasant.

20c each; \$2.00 dozen.

**Perfection.** Very large with extra good qualities and great productiveness. Color bright red. It is said to be less acid, and of better quality than any other large currant in cultivation. Perfectly healthy and a vigorous grower.

No. 1—2 years old, 25c each.

## EVERGREENS (Hardy)

Could anything be more beautiful and attractive than a few Evergreens on your lawn? We have a nice assortment of the best selected varieties in small sizes.

**Arbor Vitae (American.)**

12 to 18 inches 75c to \$1.00.

2 to 3 feet \$1.00 to \$1.25; 3 to 4 feet and up \$1.50 to \$2.50

**Arbor Vitae (Pyramidalis)**

12 to 18 inches, \$1.00 to \$1.25

**Spruce, Colorado Blue (Shiners)**

2 to 2 1-2 ft. \$3.00

**Spruce, Colorado Blue (Green)**

2 to 2 1-2 ft. \$1.50

**Spruce, Colorado Blue**

12 to 18 in., \$1.00 to \$1.50

**Spruce, Black hills**

12 to 18 inches \$1.00 to \$1.25; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50 to \$2.50.

**Spruce, Norway.**

2 to 3 feet, \$1.25 to \$1.50.

**Dwarf Mountain Pine (Pinus Mugh's Compacta)**

1 1-2 to 2 feet \$3.50.

## HEDGE

Barberry (Thunbergii)

18 to 24 inches 50c each; 10 for \$4.00.

Barberry (Thunbergii) 12 to 15 inches 15c each; 10 for \$1.00.

## ORNAMENTAL AND FLOWERING SHRUBS.

Hydrangea, Paniculate Grandiflora.

2 to 3 feet 75c

Hydrangea Arborescens (Hills of Snow) 2 to 3 ft., 75c.

Lilac (Common White)

3 to 4 feet 75c; 5 to 6 feet \$1.00.

Lilac (Common Purple)

2 to 3 feet, 50c; 4 to 5 feet 75c to \$1.00.

Lilac (Persian Purplish Red)

3 to 4 feet 75c; 5 to 6 feet \$1.00 to \$1.25.

Lilac (Madam Lemoine)

Double White 3 to 4 feet 75c

5 to 6 feet \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Lilac (Villosa) Lavender Single 4 to 5 ft. \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Weigehia (Eva Rathka) Dark red.

18 to 24 inches 75c

Flowering Almond Pink Double 2 to 3 ft. \$1.00.

Betchel's Crab (Flowering)

3 to 4 feet \$1.25.

Spirea (Van Houttii) (Bridal Wreath.)

One of the most beautiful flowering shrubs in cultivation. It is of compact habit, vigorous grower and perfectly hardy.

2 to 3 feet 40c each, 10 for \$3.00; 3 to 4 feet 60c; 10 for \$5.00

12 to 18 inches 15c each, \$10.00 per 100.

Spirea (Antrony Waterer).

Bright crimson color. Of dwarf dense growth. In bloom the entire summer.

18 to 24 inches 50c

Spirea (Golden)

3 to 4 feet 50c; 10 for \$4.00

Syringa (Sweet Mock Orange)

4 to 5 feet 75c to \$1.00; 5 to 6 feet \$1.00 to \$1.25

Snowball.

2 to 3 feet 75c.

Honeysuckle, (Tartarian) red.

2 to 3 feet 50c.

Honeysuckle, (Tartarian) pink.

Large size. \$1.00 and up

Highbush Cranberry.

5 to 6 feet \$1.00.

## CLIMBING VINES.

Clematis Paniculata.

2 years, 50c, 10 for \$4.00.

Clematis Jackmanii.

2 years,

Ampelopsis Engelmannii.

2 years, 35c; 10 for \$3.00

Wisteria (Chinensis.) Purple.

Each 50c.

Matrimony Vine.

Each 50c.

## CLIMBING ROSES (2-yr.)

Tauschendon (1,000 shine)

Excelsa (red)

Crimson Rambler.

Pink Rambler, Blue Rambler, Yellow Rambler,  
1 year. White Rambler.

50c each

## HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS.

**Achillea (The Pearl.)** Clusters of white double flowers all summer.

15c each; \$1.50 a dozen.

**Dianthus (Semperflorens.)** Hardy garden ever-blooming, very beautiful, sweet scented double and semi-double flowering in great diversity of colors.

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; large clumps, 25c.

✓ **Sweet Williams. Dianthus Barbatus (Giant double.)** A beautiful new sort, bearing handsome Sweet Williams, some will produce single blooms.

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; large clumps 25c.

**Delphinium or Larkspur. Gold Medal Hybrids.** They commence blooming in June and continue till frost.

Large clumps, .25 each; \$2.50 per dozen

**Delphinium (Belladonna.)** Everblooming. Larkspur Light blue flower.

Small clumps, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz. large clumps 25c;

**Shasta Daisy.** Large white flower. Very beautiful long stems, desirable cut flower. Blooms entire season.

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; large clumps, 25c

**Bleeding Heart.** One of the early spring flowers, hardy and ornamental, has drooping heart-shaped pink blooms.

75c each

† **Gaillardia. (Grandiflora Superba.)** Commences to bloom in June and continues the entire season. Color dark reddish brown.

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; large plants 25c each

**Pyreturum (Hybridum) (Fl. Pl.)** Too much cannot be said in favor of this hardy perennial, which will thrive in any good garden soil. Blooming season, June. Splendid for cutting.

25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Lychnis (Chalcedonia) Scarlet flower.**

+ **Coreopsis (Lanceolata Grandiflora.)** This is one of the finest hardy plants. Flowers rich golden yellow, blooming from June till frost.

15c each, \$1.50 per dozen; large clumps 25c.

**Hollyhock.** All double white, pink red and yellow.

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Forget-me-not.**

15c each, \$1.50 per dozen; large clumps 25c.

**Canterbury Bells (Cup and saucer)** Blue, white and pink.

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Foxglove Gloxiana.**

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Oriental Poppy**

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

**Iceland Poppy.**

15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



## HERBACEOUS PEONIES

**Huemil.** Large, compact, globular rose pink. Fragrant, late.

**Festive Maxima.** Considered one of the finest white Peonies grown. Large double, pure white flowers, central petals occasionally tipped with red.

**Floral Treasure.** Clear, delicate, pink, large full, of perfect form, good bloomers, cut flower sort.

**Louis Van Houtth.** Brilliant crimson maroon of good size, well formed and a free bloomer.

**Grindiflora Rubra.** Extra large, deep crimson, carmine, very showy.

**L'Esperence.** Flesh pink, sweet scented as a rose, a great favorite, early, and free bloomer.

**Pink Beauty.** Shell pink, shading lighter towards the center, free bloomer, full flower.

**Delicatissima.** A large flower, of delicate clear pink; one of the best market pinks, fine bud, strong stem and very fragrant.

**Rubra Triumphs.** Early, brilliant satiny crimson, double and semi-double. Very showy.

**Halo Lilac.** Pink with white splashes.

**Duchess de Nemours.** Clear white.

**American Beauty.** Large clear pink, very full and fragrant.

**Francis Ortegal.** Large, brilliant crimson, full semi-double flower, one of the richest in color, very striking.

50

Any of the above Peonies, ~~75c~~ each; 6 assorted, for \$2.50; 12 assorted for \$4.50; large clumps \$1.50 to \$2.50

**Courome D'or.** One of the best late whites. Flowers large and broad, very full. Richly illumined by its visible collar of golden stamens.

**Golden Harvest.** Outer petals pink, inner ones yellow, changing to white.

**Chinensis Nobilissima.** Deep violet rose.

**Marie Lemoine.** Pure white, very large, delicate cream center, compact full flower, very fragrant.

**Madam Crousse.** White with crimson flecks.

**Felix Crousse.** Large globular brilliant red, fragrant, strong grower, free bloomer, one of the best reds.

Any of the above Peonies, 75c each; 6 assorted, \$4; 12 assorted, \$7.50; large clumps, \$2 to \$3.

**Millez.** Very large lilac rose, one of the best rose type Peonies.

\$2.00 each.

## HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOX

One of the most easily grown of all the hardy Perennials.

**Miss Lingard.** White.

**R. P. Struthers.** Purplish red.

**Griseur.** Bright red.

**Rynstrom.** Rose pink.

25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

## DAHLIA

We are only offering a few selected from the cream of the largest Dahlia growers in the United States.

Each

**J. M. Goodrich**—(Decorative). This new variety is an exceptionally fine all-purpose Dahlia. It has size, beauty and long stems; and is free-flowering. The color, a salmon pink, is entirely new, and each petal is effectively tipped with Primrose yellow.....**\$0.35**

**Mina Burgle**—(Decorative). Beautiful deep glowing crimson, one of the best red varieties. Has long stems—fine for cut flower and very free-growing.....**.25**

**Sylvia**—(Decorative). Lovely pink with white center .....**.20**

**Queen Mary**—(Decorative). A beautiful soft rose pink with glistening silvery sheen which adds much to its beauty. Fine for cutting .....**.25**

**Maude Adams**—(Show). Color is a pure snowy white—overlaid clear delicate pink. Unsurpassed in quality. Fine in every respect **.60**

**Princess Juliana**—(Decorative). Free-flowering, finest white, decorative for cut-flower purpose .....**.25**

**Purple Manitou**—(Decorative). Enormous flowers of a rich clear deep purple. The finest purple decorative.....**.25**

**Achievement**—(Collarette). A clear rich velvety maroon. Collar a beautiful waxy snow-white overlaid pinkish crimson single.... **.25**

**King of the Autumn**—Color yellow, apricot and old rose. Extra fine long stems and free bloomer .....**.75**

**Rose Gem**—(Decorative). Delicate pink, extra free flowering, long stiff stem and large flowers .....**.75**

**Royal**—(Collarette). Deep violet, single white collar. Good for cutting.....**.20**

**Vivian**—(Show). White-edged rose—violet, large and fine.....**.25**

**Yellow King**—(Pompon-Cactus). Pale yellow, large and very beautiful. Has the appearance of a large creamy Chrysanthemum **.50**

**Elia Kramer**—(Cactus). Rose pink, white center; very fine .....**.25**

**King of Commerce**—(Decorative). The best of all Dahlias; exceedingly free and long stemmed; always in bloom in season, always large, never falls or droops, always healthy and vigorous. Color, tango lighted gold. This Dahlia received the highest award from the American Dahlia Society..... **2.00**

**Dr. H. Sewall**—Mammoth Fawn shaded amber. One of the finest long stems..... **.35**

**Yellow Giant**—Giant clear yellow fine-cut flower .....**.35**

**Improved Londale**—Salmon pink. Splendid for cutting .....**.25**

# GLADIOLI

We offer some of the most popular and standard varieties. Also, some very fine new varieties:

Testing out new varieties every year.

Each Doz. 100

**America**—Beautiful soft flesh  
pink .....\$0.05 \$0.50 \$3.50

**Autumn Queen**—Large flower, light background. Pink blotch.. Fine late bloom.....\$0.07 \$0.75

**Black Hawk**—Large cardinal red .....\$0.05 \$0.50 \$3.50

**Baron Hulot**—Deep violet blue\$0.10 \$1.00

**Blue Jay**—Light blue with white spot on lower petals.....\$0.15 \$1.50

**Bertrex**—Beautiful tall strong white .....\$0.10 \$1.00

**Chicago White**—Pure white, lavender markings in the throat early \$0.05 0.50 3.50

**Evelyn Kirtland**—Charming rose pink. Large blooms and a good grower .....\$0.15 \$1.50

**Farie**—(Kenderd). Creamy pink colored flowers with yellowish throat, a choice variety.....\$0.15 \$1.50

**Francis King**—A striking shade of scarlet flame color.....\$0.05 \$0.50 \$3.50

**Halley**—Scarlet red, early, very large, wide open.....\$0.05 \$0.50 \$3.50

**Le Marechal Foch**—Light pink, large wide open flower, very early, new .....\$0.20 \$2.00

**Miss Helen Franklin**—Large ruffled white with pencilings of violet purple on the lower petals \$0.15 \$1.50

**Myrtle**—(Kenderd). Delicate rose pink shading to lighter in the center.....\$0.20 \$2.00

**Marv Fennell**—(Kunderd). Beautiful lavender pink with primrose markings on the lower petals. Choice variety.....\$0.15 \$1.50

**Mrs. Dr. Norton**—(Kunderd). Soft pink with lighter throat of yellowish tint. Is much admired wherever shown .....\$0.25 \$2.50

**Golden King**—Bright glistening yellow with a striking crimson blotch in the throat.....\$0.10 \$0.75

**Prince of Wales**—Color glistening golden salmon, with slight apricot reflections, melting to a throat of sweetest yellow.....\$0.10 \$1.00

**Niagara**—Delicate cream yellow. Splashed with rosy carmine in the center.....\$0.10 \$0.75 \$4.50

**Panama**—Rich rose pink.....\$0.05 \$0.50 \$3.50

## GLADIOLI

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Peace</b> —Immense pure white flowers with a touch of carmine in the lower petals.....	\$0.10	\$0.75	\$4.50
<b>Pink Beauty</b> —Pink, dark blotch, long spike, very early ....	\$0.05	\$0.50	\$3.50
<b>Mrs. Frank Pendleton</b> —(Kunderd). Large open flowers of light pink with dark red blotch at the throat, a very attractive flower .....	\$0.10	\$0.75	\$4.50
<b>Pink Perfection</b> —A lovely apple blossom pink, large open flowers, many open at a time, extra fine .....	\$0.15	\$1.50	
<b>Crimson Glow</b> —One of most beautiful red Gladioli on the market deep rich scarlet of fine form .....	\$0.25	\$2.50	
<b>Pride of Goshen</b> —A Giant of flesh pink color—elegantly waved, very fine.....	\$0.10	\$1.00	
<b>Flora</b> —Almost pure yellow ....	\$0.25	\$2.50	
<b>Louise</b> —Fine bright lavender new .....	\$0.30	\$3.00	
<b>Schwaber</b> —Flower a pure canary yellow, shading to a soft sulphur yellow, golden yellow center with a carmine blotch on lower petals .....	\$0.07	\$0.75	
<b>War</b> —Deep blood red, very strong grower, large open flower, well-placed on the stalk .....	\$0.07	\$0.75	\$4.50
<b>Mrs. Watt</b> —Deep rose, American Beauty shade.....	\$0.10	\$1.00	
<b>Gretchen Lang</b> —A lovely pink with slight markings.....	\$0.10	\$1.00	
<b>Herada</b> —A glistening mauve a self color .....	\$0.15	\$1.50	
<b>Yellow Hammer</b> —Pure yellow little red marks in the throat .....	\$0.10	\$1.00	
<b>Alice Tiplady</b> —(Kunderd). Large orange colored flower choice variety .....	\$0.25	\$2.50	
<b>Maiden Elush</b> —Delicate pink with darker pink blotch, One of the best Primulinus.....	\$0.20	\$2.00	
<b>Choice Mixed</b> .....	\$0.03	\$0.25	\$1.50
<b>Fancy Mixed</b> .....	\$0.05	\$0.50	\$2.50

## PRIMULINUS HYBRIDS.

Nothing is more beautiful than our Gladiolus Primulinus with their oriental and Pastel colors and graceful flowers. The demand for them is growing fast. They are the first and last to blossom.....

	\$0.05	\$0.50	\$3.00
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## GERMAN IRIS

**Florentina Alba.** Sweet scented, early blooming, white.

**John Dewitt.** Standard bluish violet. Falls deep violet purple veined with white.

**Spectabilis.** Standards light violet purple, falls deep violet purple.

**Honorabilis.** Standards golden yellow, falls mahogany brown.

**Her Majesty.** Standards bright lavender rose. Falls crimson over white, giving a slightly striped effect.

**Madam Chereau.** Pure white, prettily frilled and penciled with light clear blue. Very fine.

**Any of the above, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz., large clumps 25c.**

**Pallida Dolmatica.** Sky blue standards, delicate lavender. Falls clear deep lavender. Flowers very large and extra fine.

**20c each.**

## SIBERIAN IRIS

**Siberica.** Flowers similar in form to the Liberty Iris, somewhat smaller; clear rich blue, borne on long slender stems, in great profusion. Excellent for cutting.

**15c each; \$1.50 per doz., large clumps 25c.**

**Siberica Orientals.** Of stronger growth and a more profuse bloomer than the species, with larger flowers of rich velvety violet-purple. Blooms about 40 days later and for a long time.

**15c each; \$1.50 per doz., large Clumps 25c.**

**Snow Queen.** Flowers are pure milk white, large and open, very pretty. Profuse bloomer.

**15c each; \$1.50 per doz., large clumps 25c.**

## ASPARAGUS ROOTS

**1 year root, 25 for 50c; \$1.00 per 100.**

## RHUBARB OR PIEPLANT

**Good strong roots, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.**



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